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Ms. Yvette A. Burke **Acquisition Executive, DLA Acquisition (J7)**

Yvette Burke, a member of the Senior Executive Service since 2007, serves as an Acquisition Executive, J7, Defense Logistics Agency, Fort Belvoir, VA. Ms. Burke is responsible for process management, oversight and direction of policy and systems for the acquisition of supplies and services for the Agency. She supports execution of the acquisition mission including the Procurement Management Review program and Procure to Pay (P2P) actions required for P2P assertion for Audit Readiness. Ms. Burke serves as the DLA expert on acquisition policy, process and systems across all locations. Ms. Burke assumed this newly established position in the Agency in April 2014.

Ms. Burke's former position was the Acquisition Executive for DLA Aviation in Richmond, VA where she was the Head of the Contracting Activity, responsible for the aviation supply chain acquisition operations. She was engaged in the full range of logistics and acquisition planning, life cycle management, and mission management of worldwide aviation items.

Ms. Burke began her DLA career in 1980 as a contract administrator. She joined management ranks in 1985 and in 1989 accepted an overseas assignment as Assistant to the Commander for Acquisition, Defense Subsistence Region Europe, Zweibrücken, Germany. Ms. Burke's stateside work at Defense Personnel Support Center in Philadelphia, PA included positions in Clothing and Textiles as Branch Manager, Subsistence Business Unit Chief and Deputy Director of Contracting and Production. In 1995, she became the Business Process Improvement Lead for Defense Industrial Supply Center, Philadelphia, PA. She served there as Deputy Director of the General Directorate in 1997, through its reorganization into the General and Industrial Directorate in 1999, at Defense Supply Center Philadelphia. She served as the Director of Business Systems Modernization from 2003 to 2007.

During her career, Ms. Burke transitioned five Air Force, Army and Navy depot-level reparable activities into DLA; implemented an enterprise resource planning system in four supply chains for the agency; reengineered business processes for logistics and acquisition support for five major commodity business segments valued at \$2 billion; developed and implemented best value source selection in troop support programs; and restructured Europe and Pacific support activities into tri-commodity customer focused organizations.

Ms. Burke holds a bachelor's degree in business administration from Temple University in Philadelphia. She completed Harvard University executive courses in strategic computing and telecommunications and is a certified re-engineer by Hammer & Company. Between 1999 and 2000, she completed Leadership for a Democratic Society at the Federal Executive Institute. She has been a member of the Defense Acquisition Corps since 1984 and is certified in contracting.

In 1994, Ms. Burke was named Woman of the Year by the Federal Executive Board in Philadelphia. Along with numerous performance awards, she has been recognized with: DLA's Scissors Award (1996), DoD Hammer Award (1997), Meritorious Civilian Service Award (1998), Exceptional Civilian Service Award (2001), and DLA's Leader of the Year Award in the Manager of Managers' category (2006).